മിസ്റ്റർ എ. എൽ. ഡേവസ്സി (*Commissioner of Police*).— നോട്ടീസുവേണം.

Regarding improvements to the Eroor—Vyttila road.

373. Mr. A. Narayana Menon (*Vyttila*).—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) what the width of the Eroor-Vyttila road is; is it a cartable road; if not, will the Government kindly widen it and make it cartable;

(b) whether the Government will kindly provide for the connecting bridge that this road stands in need of, in the next budget?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon (*Director of Public Health and Panchayats*).—(a) The width of the Eroor-Vyttila road is hardly 12 feet. The road is not cartable at present. The question of making the road fit for cart traffic will be considered after the construction of a cart-bridge across the Kaniampuzha river.

(b) The question will be considered according to the availability of funds.

Culvert in the Valiayaparamba-Kuzhur road—damages to.

374. Mr. P. Govinda Menon (*Adoor*).—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether a culvert in the Valiaparamba-Kuzhur road has been damaged by the heavy rains last year;

(b) if so, why the culvert has not been repaired as yet?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon (*Director of Public Health and Panchayats*).—(a) Yes.

(b) No funds could be provided in the current year's budget for the work.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon (*Adoor*).—Are the Government aware that the absence of this bridge has cut off places like Kundur and Kuzhur from the rest of the State from vehicular traffic? Will the Government consider the question of repairing this culvert this year.?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon (*Director of Public Health and Panchayats*).—Yes. Every effort will be made if funds are available.

LIBRARY ARCHIVES Kerala Legislative Assembly

Mr. T. K. Nayar *(Pazhayannur).*—What will be the approximative cost for the repair of the bridge?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—It will be about thousand rupees.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi).*—Besides, separate allotments for separate works, is it not the practice to make a lump allotment for urgent repairs and urgent works?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—The lump allotment is intended for works that have been taken up last year but could not be finished.

Ramankulam poramboke tank—Talappali Taluk—repairs to.

375. Mr. K. Kunhirama Menon *(Cheruthuruthi).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether the Government have received any petition from the local people regarding repairs to the Ramankulam poramboke tank in Pilakad Village, Talappalli Taluk.

(2) whether tenders have been called for the repairs during this year;

(3) if so, what is the amount for which tender is given;

(4) has any amount been taken over or transferred from the total amount budgetted for this item;

(5) will the Government be pleased to make a complete provision for this important work in the next budget?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—(1) No petition has been received in the current year; but there had been petitions in previous years.

(2) Yes.

(3) At Rs. 40—12—6 per cent less than the estimated rates.

(4) Yes. A sum of Rs. 125 has been transferred for other items of expenditure to the same Panchayat.

(5) This will be done according to the availability of funds.

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. കുമാരനെഴുത്തച്ഛൻ *(Wadakkancheri).*—രാമൻകുളം നന്നാക്കുന്നതിനു എത്ര രൂപായാണ് ബഡ്ജറ്റ് ചെയ്തിട്ടുള്ളത്?

LIBRARY ARCHIVES Kerala Legislative Assembly